

## News Briefs

### Christian Day Athletic BBQ

Christian Day School will be holding its annual Athletic BBQ and Auction on March 27, at the Belle Glade Marina.

Food will be served from 12 noon until 5 p.m. The auction begins at 1:30 p.m. Tickets for the 1/2 chicken dinner with all the trimmings are \$6 each.

If you have any further questions about the event please call the school at 996-5588.

### Student Government Annual Fun Day

Although most of their time is taken up with writing research papers and studying for tests, the students of Glades Campus of Palm Beach Community College are putting aside one day for fun this year. On April 16, the Student Government Association will host their first annual Fun Day on the college grounds, from 12:30 to 4 p.m.

The fun will include horseshoes, a chess tournament, volleyball, and food. The public is invited to join the college community for this event.

The Glades Campus of PBCC is located at 1977 College Drive in Belle Glade and offers a full range of college courses for an A.A. degree.

Registration for Summer A Term (May 10-June 21) will begin April 13.

Call the Registrar's office for more information: (407) 996-3055.

### Women's Day to be observed

The St. James A.M.E. Church will celebrate Women's Day on Sunday, March 28 at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

The 11 a.m. speaker is Minister Helen Johnson, pastor of the Mt. Hermon A.M.E. Church of Fort Lauderdale.

The 3 p.m. speaker will be County Commissioner Sylvia Portier.

The church is located at 379 Banyan Avenue, Pahokee.

### Summer camp for kids is open

Games, nature and urban wildlife activities, sports, arts and crafts, and field trips will be part of the summer camp offered by the Palm Beach County Parks and Recreation Department this summer beginning June 21.

According to organizer James Coney, the camp will be offered at Pioneer Park, 866 SR 15, Belle Glade.

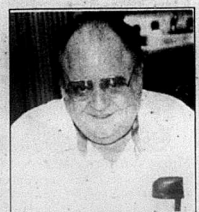
Three sessions will be offered. Session I will be June 21 through July 2.

Session II begins July 6 and runs through July 23 and Session III begins July 26 and goes through August 6.

For more information call Mr. Coney at 996-8791.

Each session is limited to 50 participants.

## Everybody's friend, Dean Jones is dead



Fifty-four year old Dean Jones, the dean of journalism in the Glades area, was found dead Monday morning after he failed to show up for work at the Belle Glade office of *The Palm Beach Post*.

Dean had worked at *The Post* since 1987 when his employer, *The Evening Times*, sister newspaper to *The Post*, shut down and he was absorbed into the staff at *The Post*.

Mr. Jones had been editor of the forerunner of *THE SUN*, *The Belle Glade Herald*, in the early 1970's.

In recent years he had periodically been depressed as his health worsened. A diabetic, he had at times been confined to a wheelchair and crutches, occasions which served to curtail his individuality.

In recent weeks he had surgery to repair nerve damage in an elbow, and had broken bones in his left foot and was facing another spell in a wheelchair.

Dean also suffered from Myasthenia Gravis, a Muscular Dystrophy-like degenerative disease, as well as heart trouble.

Friends in the community have taken the time to give a final tribute to a man they admired for his intelligence, compassion, and journalistic integrity. Following is "A Tribute to Dean Jones."

Dean Jones and his unique style of reporting the happenings in our city will be missed. He was a professional journalist - whether reporting a social, charitable, or governmental event. We could depend on Dean to take a story and relay it to his readers in an interesting, unbiased, and fair manner. We will miss his calm, compassionate, and understanding manners. We will miss him at City Hall.

Harma Miller  
Belle Glade City Commissioner

See Tribute page 5

## Two seek reelection to Pahokee Commission seats

By BRENDA BUNTING  
SUN Editor

Pahokee City Commissioners John Norman and Roy Singletary have both filed to retain their seats on the Pahokee City Commission.

Norman, of 320 Parkview Court, Pahokee is currently the vice-mayor. He filed for the group one seat. He has served on the commission for four two-year terms.

Singletary, 58, of 250 South Lake Avenue, Pahokee, is seeking his fourth term.

Norman is married, and he and his wife, Debbie have one child, Keith.

Some of the accomplishments Norman cited since his first election are, a modern wastewater disposal system that is no longer in violation of state and federal guidelines, and helping to make real strides in

the lakefront renovations, as well as the former Pahokee High School property.

He hopes to attract more grant money to the city and enhance and increase jobs for those living in the city.

Former Mayor Clark Hull Wilkinson has agreed to be Mr. Norman's campaign treasurer and local businessman Joe Alderman will be his campaign coordinator.

Mr. Singletary, who filed to run again on Friday, March 19, said he wants to see more lakefront development and will continue to work for that goal.

He would also like to see more recreational activities for children and he wants to work toward more economic development of the town.

He and his wife, Elsie, have seven grown children.



We're Number One...Say Zenita Lawson and Reginald Hobbs, Drum Majors for Glades Central Community High School's Band. The band is seen here marching in Saturday's Afro Arts Festival Parade. The band recently won all superior ratings at the district festival in Jupiter. Directed by Mr. Willie Pyfrom, the band has every right to claim Number One status. More parade pictures inside.

SUNPHOTO BY CHIP NEWTON

## Police make big cocaine bust, seize large amount of cash

By BRENDA BUNTING  
SUN Editor

A Belle Glade couple has been charged with trafficking in more than 400 grams of cocaine, possession of cocaine with intent to sell, and possession of cocaine.

John David "Ripp" Jones, 56, and his wife, Mary L. Jones, 44, of 733 McCurdy Drive were arrested at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 16 by agents with the Glades Multi Agency Narcotics Task Force.

Agents found powdered and crack cocaine and also confiscated \$78,325 found in two safes in the home. Also seized were an assault rifle and a 12-gauge shotgun.

Sgt. Willy Battle with the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office said while officers were at the

Jones' home a man called and said he was in Room 201 at the Okeechobee Inn in South Bay.

Sgt. Battle said the caller, later identified as Johnny Mike, 40, of Fitzgerald, Georgia, believed he was speaking to Jones on the telephone.

Sgt. Battle told the man to come to the house and when Mike arrived he was carrying \$75,925 in plastic bags.

Mike denied ownership of the money and refused to sign a property receipt, so the money was seized.

Ripp Jones was jailed on three drug charges and is being held under a \$3 million bail. Mary Jones is being held under a \$150,000 bail. A bond hearing is scheduled for March 25.

## Royal Fertilizer employees robbed

Sheriff's Department officials

have no suspects in a robbery and beating that took place last Friday evening at Royal Fertilizer Plant in South Bay.

Det. Sgt. John Russ with the Glades station of the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office said several men who were

working late at the fertilizer

emergency room.

Names of the victims were not released. At press time, the case is still under investigation and no further information was available.

The plant is located at 415 Southwest First Street in South

Glades General Hospital's Bay.

## Belle Glade woman charged with attempted murder

A Belle Glade woman is charged with attempted murder after she shot another woman in the leg and abdomen with a .22-caliber revolver March 19.

Tonya Jones, 20, of Lot 154, 715 Mobile Home Park, Belle Glade was booked into the county jail after allegedly shooting Linda Carol Williams, 32, of Riviera Beach, police said.

According to Det. Sgt. John Russ of the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office, police were

called to the 715 Mobile Home Park after Jones was said to have brandished the revolver and then fired several shots at Williams.

Williams was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, where she was listed in stable condition.

Det. Sgt. Russ said Williams was treated and released because the bullet wounds were superficial.

At press time the case was still under investigation by the Sheriff's Office and no further information was available.

### Don't forget!

The comedy "Nunsense" is being offered at the Dolly Oand Cultural Arts Center tonight at 8 p.m. Tickets are still available for this hilarious comedy. Call Monika Potter at 992-6160 for more information.



What's this?...Rev. James Brewer (left) looks over the goodies before auctioning them off at Sunday's "I Love Pahokee" day. Holding the cake is Timmy Deaton. Sunday's event attracted about 20 vendors but the weather turned foul about 2:30 p.m. and rain lasted for a couple of hours.

SUNPHOTO BY BRENDA BUNTING

# Seven local youths to attend Bible drill competition in Apopka

Attention - Draw Swords - Charge.

Sound familiar? If it does, you just identified yourself as a member of a drill team - a Bible Drill Team.

Today the commands are a little less intense - Attention - present Bible - Start - but the intense practice and study necessary to qualify for the state competition is more intense than ever.

Five students, grades 7-9 and two children, 4-6 grade, have qualified on the local and associational level to compete at the state drill in Apopka, Florida on April 3.

These young people have successfully mastered the skills of locating any verse in the entire Bible and have memorized 30 or so verses and key passages.

Their response must be done in only eight seconds for the young people and 10 seconds for the children. Sound simple? Try it. Three senior high students participated in the "Speaker's Tournament." These youth prepared speeches on various topics such as "Is Heaven Real?", "God's Greatest Gift" and "He Paid a Debt."

The speeches were memorized and delivered in front of the congregation of the First Baptist Church in Pahokee on a Sunday evening. The speeches were five minutes long and were judged by a panel of judges from the local church. Many hours of work and research went into preparation of these speeches. Amy Douglas won the church competition.



Champion speakers...These members of the First Baptist Church of Pahokee's Bible Drill Team participated in competition recently and won. They will be going on to the state drill in Apopka, Florida, on April 3. From left are Amy Douglas, Daniel Ross and Jean Salvatore. Amy was the top winner in the 10-12 grade division.

## PBCC students inducted into Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society

Several excellent students at the Glades Campus of Palm Beach Community College were recently inducted into the Alpha Delta Nu Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society.

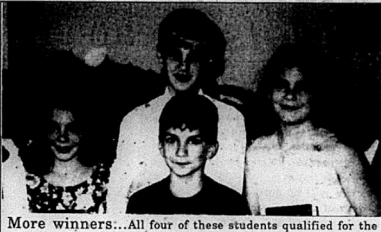
They included Everley Brown, Tammy Burroughs, Annie Smiley Jenkins, Barbara Milligan, Ann Thigpen, and Corey Wood.

Dr. Roger Robison, advisor, congratulated the students on their achievement of a 3.0 Grade Point Average (or above).

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Five more winners...In the youth group, grades 7-9, five students will attend the state drills in Apopka for the First Baptist Church of Pahokee. Front row, from left, are William Burroughs, Valerie Herring and Amanda Carver. Back row, from left, are Jodi Salvatore and Brad Douglas.



More winners...All four of these students qualified for the association drill, but Kara Salvatore (back row, left) and Kelly Salvatore (back row, far right) will be attending the state competition April 3. Shown between Kara and Kelly is Scott Timmsen. In front is Tory Danley.

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### Births at Everglades Memorial Hospital

Child's name	Mother (Maiden)	Father	Status	Sex	City	DOB
Tavious Markee Bridges	Carrie Mae Bridges		Single	Male	Belle Glade	2-25-93
Cornelia Kichonda Collins	Waleeka Petina Kearse	Kenelia Collins	Single	Female	Belle Glade	2-25-93
Rogerick Leonte Smith	Cheralyn Jantal Joseph		Single	Male	South Bay	2-26-93
Joshua Anthony Vasquez	Loida Jimenez	Martin Vasquez	Married	Male	Pahokee	3-1-93
Analisa Marisol Cortinas	Gladis E. Coronado	Juan Cortinas	Single	Female	Canal Point	3-1-93
Roman Lugo Jr.	Elizabeth Venegas	Roman Lugo Sr.	Married	Male	Belle Glade	3-1-93
Zacharian Antwonique Williams	Nikki Katrina McCloud	A. Williams	Single	Female	Belle Glade	3-1-93
Keyson Kirk Daley	Dakeisha Lashon Roberson	Ernie Daley	Single	Male	Pahokee	3-1-93

## Students honored at Palm Beach Community College, Glades campus

Each month two students at the Glades Campus of Palm Beach Community College are honored for their academic and contribution to the college. The Students of the Month for February 1993 are the following:

Duana Denise Daniels: She was born in Michigan and graduated from Glades Central Community High School in 1989. In May she will receive an A.A. degree in Elementary Education from PBCC. As a student she has been president of the Black Students Association, a member of Phi Theta Kappa, and is involved in the Student Government Association. She plans to enter the Air Force after graduation. She is currently employed at Days Inn in Belle Glade and volunteers with the high school track team and tutoring program.

Mary Norman McMillan: She was born in Pahokee and is employed at Sugar Cane Growers. Although she is married and has two children, she has still found time to attend college and be involved in the campus activities at PBCC. She is president of the Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society and is majoring in elementary education. After graduation, she plans to continue her work toward a B.A. degree to become an elementary school teacher.

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## Restoration Project at Holey Land is successful according to Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission

Endangered snail kite nests on the Holey Land Wildlife Management Area in southwestern Palm Beach County have doubled since last year.

Wildlife biologists with the Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission (GFC) see this as one more indicator that the 35,350-acre area is returning to its original, sawgrass habitat after decades as a dried out marsh.

Jim Schuette, a GFC wildlife biologist who supervises management efforts on site, said 13 nests were confirmed in February compared to six last year. The snail kites nest in loose colonies in willow trees a few feet above the marsh.

Restoring the Holey Land to its original sawgrass habitat has long been a priority for the GFC. The first real concrete step toward that goal came in Jan., 1991 when the South Florida Water Management District implemented a new water schedule for the site.

"The goal is to duplicate, as much as possible, the natural cycle of a wet and dry season," Schuette explained. "Water levels are now around one-and-a-half feet deep. The extra water is transforming the area back to its natural state."

The GFC expects to see Holey Land provide habitat for a large number and variety of wildlife associated with the Everglades including snail kites, alligators, fish, and various wading birds, according to Schuette.

"Right now we've got anywhere from 50 to 100 snail kites on the area," Schuette said. "Nesting will continue through June. The birds are nesting in four colonies as opposed to two colonies last year."

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# HAPPY DOCTORS DAY!!

## MARCH 30, 1993

# OPINION PAGE



## Feel strongly about local issues? THE SUN INVITES YOU TO SPEAK OUT!

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### Teach them manners

Here is an idea for *The Sun*. Start a local good manners or etiquette column.

So few people say "thank you" or "excuse me" or even "please" anymore. Perhaps as a public service, some instruction should be given on etiquette.

I find many people don't even know the rules. Civilization includes decency and protocol. How about reminding everyone about good taste and decor.

### Get used to it

This long line of traffic between South Bay and Belle Glade is driving me crazy.

I have to make this drive every day. When are they going to finish working on this road? I never see anyone out there working on it.

...

Some bright engineer they got working on this road project here on 715 and 80. He must be mighty smart because they don't have a left turn lane to where you can turn and the traffic backs up all the way to South Bay.

Takes us about thirty minutes to get from

South Bay to Belle Glade.

A five-year-old kid can figure out more than these engineers working for the county they've got up there.

**Editor's note:** Get used to the delays. The Florida Department of Transportation says that stretch of road between South Bay and Belle Glade will be torn up from now through mid-June.

### Fire in the sky?

I heard that some officers from the Sheriff's Department may have seen "fireballs" in the sky recently just east of Belle Glade on SR 80. Is there any truth to that? Could it be UFO's?

**Editor's response:** We called the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Department and spoke with Det. Robert Quinones. He said he personally witnessed the "fireballs", which were exploding transformers. This took place during the storm Saturday evening. He said he called Florida Power and Light and let them know about the problem. "Anybody who may have seen this from a distance could have misinterpreted it as UFO's," he said.

## Immunization is covered by insurance

Parents need to be aware that "baby shots" or immunizations, necessary for school and child day care attendance in Florida, are covered by their health insurance policies.

According to Dr. Charles Mahan, State Health Officer, "Parents should make their doctor aware of any health insurance coverage they have on their children and not let the cost of the shots keep them from getting their children immunized." This coverage of immunizations does not apply in self-insured employer groups.

Depending on the policy, the insurance company may pay all or most of its allowable charge for the immunization service. By law,

there is no deductible to meet before the coverage applies. For families without health insurance coverage, immunizations are provided free of charge at all HRS county public health units.

Immunizations can prevent many childhood diseases such as measles, mumps, whooping cough, German measles, polio, diphtheria, tetanus, and Haemophilus influenza type B (Hib).

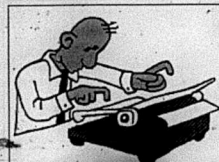
With the increased cases of measles and mumps in Florida, it is imperative that parents take advantage of this insurance coverage to provide basic preventive health care for their children.

**Editors note:** The POLICE NEWS in this newspaper lists arrests, not convictions, unless otherwise stated. Arrested persons who later are found not guilty or have had the charges against them dropped are welcome to let us know. We will confirm the information and print it.

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## Guest Commentary

By Joan Anderson, R.N., Ed.S.



### "High blood pressure - the 'silent killer'"

High blood pressure is one of the most serious diseases in the United States. About one million deaths a year can be connected either directly or indirectly to high blood pressure. There is no cure for high blood pressure, but it is controllable.

Often, the cause of high blood pressure is unknown, but there may be contributing factors, such as heredity, abnormal body chemistry, emotions, overweight, smoking, and a high salt diet.

Drugs such as amphetamines, diet pills, and oral contraceptives may cause an increase in blood pressure, but usually, the blood pressure returns to normal after the drugs are discontinued.

High blood pressure has been called "The Silent Killer" because it has no symptoms. You can feel perfectly fine and still have dangerously high blood pressure which could result in a heart attack or stroke.

Dietary modifications and exercise can help keep blood pressure down. If you're used to a high salt diet, food tastes flat when you cut down on salt too much, too soon. Cut down by degrees.

First, cut out high salt foods. Then stop using salt at the table. Add zip to your meat

dishes, soups, vegetables and salads with basil, chives and parsley. Try bay leaves for meat and poultry dishes, soup and tomato dishes. Add lemon juice to vegetables and salads. Add just a little salt when cooking.

What's wrong with too much salt? Salt holds water in the body and causes the heart to work harder. Cutting down on salt may help some people avoid high blood pressure and help others who have high blood pressure to get it down to lower levels.

Drugs are not recommended for "borderline" hypertensives. These patients can usually see an improvement by altering their lifestyles and having their blood pressures checked at least annually.

High blood pressure occurs when the arteries become narrowed or blocked and the blood cannot easily pass through them. When this happens, the heart must pump harder to push blood. This increases the blood pressure in the arteries.

If high blood pressure goes untreated, it can cause damage to the heart, which may result in a heart attack. A stroke may result when not enough blood goes through the arteries to the brain. Blindness can result from blood vessels in the eyes

being constantly strained and swollen. Because of inefficient removal of body wastes through the kidneys, caused by hardened arteries, waste can build up in the blood, poisoning the body.

High blood pressure is treatable. Deaths can be prevented when hypertension (high blood pressure) is detected early and managed properly.

Stroke deaths and deaths from kidney and heart disease have decreased significantly over the past 15 years.

If you have high blood pressure, you should invest in an at home monitor. Mechanical and electronic devices are available. Mechanical apparatus require some training while electronic units calculate blood pressure for you.

**Reference - American Heart Association**

Mrs. Anderson is currently employed at Everglades Memorial Hospital as the Director of Nursing Services. Everglades Memorial Hospital is involved with the "Heart At Work" program and the "Hypertensive Unit" will begin in April. Various programs will take place at the hospital during April, May and June, including free blood pressure screening for the public on the third Wednesday of each month.

## Beware when giving to charities

**Editor's note:** Longtime Belle Glade resident Ruth Wedgworth wants her friends and neighbors to be aware of possible scams being operated by organizations, asking for donations.

She said she has received numerous correspondence from The Cancer Fund of America out of Washington, D.C. and the Cancer Center for Detection and Prevention in Seattle, Washington.

They have asked her to solicit

funds from friends and neighbors to raise money for cancer research.

We would like to let people know they should always check out charitable organizations before making a donation. Ask them to send you a copy of their annual report.

It will tell you what percentage of the money raised is used for administrative costs, fund raising, and public education.

According to Josephine Posti, income development represen-

tative for the American Cancer Society, if the address to send your donation to is out of state, chances are the money will not be used in your county or state.

"Some of them are a nightmare," she said. "We always encourage people to contact the Better Business Bureau if they have any doubt about an organization."

The Better Business Bureau's number is 407-686-2200.

Thank you Mrs. Wedgworth for helping us get out the word.

## Check out contractors carefully

Governor Lawton Chiles has declared 23 counties in Florida under a state of emergency as a result of the damage caused by the storm two weeks ago.

For many Floridians, assessing the damage caused by the storm and coping with unexpected repairs can be difficult and confusing. Locating a qualified professional to repair the damage can be just as confusing.

"Unfortunately, many unlicensed people use the devastation caused by natural disasters to defraud consumers," said George Stuart, Secretary of the Department of Professional Regulation, which licenses and regulates contractors.

Earlier this year, hail storms in Orlando caused millions of dollars in property damage. Following the disaster, unlicensed roffers compounded the problems of some homeowners by offering to fix their roofs,

then doing substandard work, leaving the homeowners in worse shape than before the storm.

Hurricane Andrew is another example of unscrupulous individuals offering to make repairs and then failing to follow through with quality work in a timely manner.

"Florida's consumers are being victimized twice," said Mr. Stuart, "by the natural disasters and by the unlicensed contractors."

If your home was damaged by the most recent storm, your first step before hiring anyone to fix the problem should be to verify the contractor's license.

Contact the Department of Professional Regulation (DPR) toll free at 1-800-362-1519. Many times insurance companies will provide claimants with a list of possible contractors. However, a contractor's name on a list does not guarantee proper licensure - call

DPR yourself.

Unlicensed contractors are dangerous for several reasons. If a worker employed by an unlicensed contractor is injured while working on your home, you could be financially liable for his injuries because unlicensed contractors do not carry worker's compensation insurance.

There is no guarantee that the work performed by unlicensed contractors is safe because the repairs are not inspected by either the county or state.

The Department of Professional Regulation is the state agency responsible for licensing contractors. If you are considering hiring one, please contact the department at 1-800-362-1519 to check on a contractor's license or to file a complaint.

Verify licenses -- don't be victimized by unlicensed persons.

## Volunteers needed for "Project graduation"

Graduation night is probably one of the highest points of one's life. The parents and guardians of graduating seniors, with the help of our local communities, would like to make this event a tragedy-free night to remember.

All public and some private schools with graduating seniors

have made plans for this All-Night Alcohol-Free and Drug-Free Graduating Party for the Class of 1993.

Many letters have been sent to parents/guardians of graduating seniors and local merchants asking for support. To ensure the success of this celebration, we need volun-

teers, as well as monetary donations and gifts. Monetary donations are tax deductible.

Please help us give the graduates of the class of '93 the night of their lives.

For more information, please contact Ms. Sheila Johnson at (407) 996-4975 or (407) 996-5715.



# Tribute to Dean Jones

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The Glades lost a good friend this week. Dean Jones was a first rate newspaperman, yet he did his job with style. He was a loner, yet he touched the lives of many. He struggled with many problems, yet he hardly ever complained. He had his own financial needs, yet he always found a little extra for those who were needier. He listened, he understood, he cared, and he wrote about the Glades. Now, he is gone, and we will miss him. The Glades has lost a good friend.

Sue C. Teets

Dean Jones was a wonderful, caring man who made many contributions to the Glades. His loyalty and dedication to our communities benefited all of our citizens, and he will be missed immensely.

Ken Foster  
County Commissioner, District 6

Over the years, only a few newspaper reporters have earned high marks for writing the facts without embellishing the story. Dean Jones was one of those reporters who earned my respect because he could be counted on to be professional. He was a personal friend of mine and a true friend of the Glades.

Bill Bailey  
Mayor of Belle Glade

Dean Jones was a kind and caring person who had great compassion for the residents of the Glades. He was very knowledgeable of our area, and he was an excellent journalist. He will be missed by everyone.

Lomax Harelle  
Belle Glade City Manager

I am saddened for the loss of Dean Jones. He was not just a good writer; he was a good friend of the Glades. As I look back, Dean was a dedicated person to his work and to the Glades. Even when he was sick, he would be out there getting the story. Dean will be a hard person to replace. I will miss Dean, for he was a good friend to me.

Ramon Horta  
Mayor of Pahokee

Even though Dean Jones was only 54, he was considered an old timer of the Glades, and I hate to lose him. We had the opportunity to work in the same profession, and I found him to be a good competitor.

Le Nachman, Retired  
Palm Beach Post

We all recognized that Dean Jones loved the Glades and he represented the area well. He was very professional and could be counted upon to give an accurate account when reporting.

The Glades will miss him.  
Larry Royal  
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Dean Jones will be remembered as



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an objective and fair reporter who was true to his profession, and who was a staunch supporter of his community. Dean participated in civic and community projects, lending his support and ideas to the betterment of the Glades. Dean was my friend, and he will be missed.

D. Bill Mathis, Town Manager  
Ocean Ridge

I always found Dean Jones to be fair, reasonable, and compassionate. He was a little bit biased about the Glades, but this did not keep him from doing his job. He told the story the way it was, and he could be counted upon to do it well. Dean was very knowledgeable and he couldn't be hood-winked.

Dr. Joseph R. Orsenigo

Dean was a very special reporter of the Glades. He not only understood the issues and concerns of the area, but also his reporting reflected that understanding. He will be missed tremendously by the citizens of South Bay, and it will be difficult to replace such a wonderful person.

Clarence Anthony  
Mayor of South Bay

The Chamber of Commerce has lost a good friend in Dean Jones. He was always interested in any activities for the community. We have lost not only a good reporter, but also a good friend. Dean will be greatly missed.

Belle Glade Chamber of  
Commerce

Dean Jones was an intricate part of our community. He cared so much about the Glades, and he was always positive in his reporting. Dean was a part of the Glades community that cannot be replaced; we will miss his caring concern.

Mary Orsenigo, Retired  
Palm Beach Community College

It's always difficult to say goodbye to a colleague, but when your memory goes back over many years, harmony and goodwill and of energy and enthusiasm shared in a common cause, it is not merely difficult to say goodbye, it is impossible. When I remember Dean Jones, I remember his unflinching courtesy, his common sense, which ran like a seam of gold through all his decisions, his sense of fair play, his honesty and integrity, and I remember him for being my friend. For these gifts generously shared with us and for hundreds of memories of battles fought and won and lost together, I remember and thank Dean Jones.

Dolly Hand

Dean Jones - What a paradox! Chain-smoking, overweight, and disheveled. What a clever disguise, for underneath the exterior was a truly pleasant surprise. Our community is aware that we have lost a strong advocate. We are dim-

ished by his passing, yet we are greater for having had him among us. My memory is of an articulate, well read, intelligent, humorous, and compassionate individual. Yet, there is one personal trait that, towered above all others. Dean was an individual with integrity. I join with the community in mourning our loss.

Neal Whippley, Administrator  
Glades General Hospital

Dean Jones was a fair and honest man. He always tried to ferret out the facts and only wrote what he believed was the truth. We admire that in a journalist. But Dean was more than just a journalist, he was a permanent fixture in the Glades and a true friend of the Glades. He will be missed.

Barbara Miedema  
Sugar Cane Growers Cooperative  
of Florida

Dean Jones' professional life is a tribute to the finest in journalism. He was accurate, straightforward, fair and honest to his principals and to the higher calling of his profession. He had a sincere appreciation for his tools -- his natural curiosity and the English language. He was a thoughtful and caring man who understood the correct blend of ambition and peace lies within one's own judgment of success. It is a rare journalist who can maintain a reputation for accuracy and journalistic integrity while at the same time supporting his community, especially when it is far more fashionable to find fault. Given the opportunity, Dean Jones always counted on the side of his community.

Baseball commentators who always laud the home team are called "homers." They're the guys who can find something good about the home team no matter how badly they're getting trounced.

Dean Jones was a "homer" for the Glades.

Larry Tucker

Dean's death marks the end of an era - one in which newsmen like him found a story and told it with passion, but always tempered it with truth. This is a rare commodity on today's marketplace. His friends here in the Glades will miss him and his likes will not be seen again.

Virginia Bullock

Goodbye, Dean.  
We love you and  
we'll miss you.  
Mickey Pender

In Dean Jones, the Glades has lost a dedicated friend who was all news-paperman. I worked many years with Dean, and I will certainly miss him. All of us

who worked with him will always remember his unusual sense of humor and his enthusiasm for his profession. He was a friend of the Glades.

Greadle York

It was Dean Jones who first suggested the idea of a community-wide festival which later became known as Black Gold Jubilee. Because he loved the Glades and her people, Dean always gave freely of his time and talent to community projects and charities, never worrying about his own circumstances. As a journalist, Dean worked very hard at reporting all sides of an issue he was covering - what better epitaph for a newsman? He possessed a keen mind, sharp wit, warm personality, deep compassion, and tremendous integrity.

Tom Altman

My memories of Dean Jones reach back to the fact that he simultaneously became proud "Belle Gladians" and often boasted of cutting our teeth on the same politics. When I began working for the City in 1971, one of the first people I met was a local member of the news media that we came to fondly refer to as our "Dean-O." It was my pleasure to know Dean for the past twenty-two years, not only as a journalism professional, but also as a friend.

One of my fondest and admirable memories of Dean will always be his voluminous knowledge and use of the English language. When in doubt and Webster's explanation of word variations and usages left a confusing taste in the mouth, just ask Dean. He could always tell us just how to use the word in the right context. You have never witnessed a word game in play unless you had the opportunity to witness Dean master a crossword puzzle.

Dean will be sorely missed by the people of the Glades. His fairness in reporting an issue, his knowledge of the issue whatever the subject may be,

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and his true concern and caring love for the Glades will be unmatched for generations to come. Reporting the news of the Glades will never be the same as we have known it for the past 22 years. We have truly lost a friend.

June Boglioli  
City Clerk

Dean was a friend. He was probably one of the most brilliant men I've known. He held to the old-fashioned qualities of honor and honesty and he subscribed to the old-fashioned form of journalism. Not the yellow journalism of the turn of the century nor today's journalism that is suffering from a severe case of jaundice. He believed in fairness - an even-handed way of reporting. There was more than one side of an issue. He believed in reporting them all.

We will miss him. We'll be somewhat the poorer for not having him around. But, we've all been enriched, enlightened, entertained and informed because he was among us.

The true value of a man lies in the sense of loss we feel when he's no longer in our midst. With that in mind, Dean's value was, and is, incalculable.

His life can't be edited. It was simple and straight forward. Nothing could be red-lined and embellishments aren't necessary.

When news writers finish their stories, they type "30" under the final paragraph. So, we put a "30" to the life of Dean Jones, knowing full well, like the works and contributions of all good men, "30" is not really the end.

R.D. Santerfeit

Special thanks to Sue Teets for many hours spent compiling this special tribute.

A college scholarship fund is being established in Dean's name to benefit Glades students who plan a career in journalism. Call the Palm Beach Post at 996-6731 for more information.



The ribbon was cut...last Friday morning to officially open the East Coast Migrant Head Start Project in South Bay. Commissioner Mirinda Smith and City Manager Lester Baird cut the ribbon officially opening the new day care center. The center has 90 children enrolled, the top capacity for the center. ECMHS provides child care for children ages six weeks to five years. Mr. Baird said the city worked for three years to help get the site, located on U.S. 27. Tripp Construction was the architect on the building. Sylvia Paloma, center director, said there are 36 people on the staff and the center provides hot meals, educational and social services from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m., five days a week.

## LEGAL NOTICES

### GENERAL ELECTION

The City of Pahokee, Florida will hold a General Election on Tuesday, May 4, 1983, for the purpose of electing two (2) Commissioners for a term of two years each.

The first qualifying date as a candidate will be March 18, 1983 and the last day will be April 2, 1983 at 5:00 P.M. any qualified person wishing to be on the ballot must be registered in accordance with the Florida State Statutes. The polls will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

Water registration tickets will be closed at 5:00 P.M. April 8, 1983, and will remain closed until the first regular business day after the election.

In the event of a run-off election, it will be held Tuesday, May 18, 1983.

City of Pahokee  
Publish March 22th, 1983  
Legal 83-20

### NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF LANDOWNERS OF RITTA DRAINAGE DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to call of the Board of Supervisors of the Ritta Drainage District, the Annual Meeting of Landowners of the Ritta Drainage District, for the year 1983, will be held in the office of the District, 2810 West Jupiter Avenue, Jupiter, Florida, April 14, 1983, at 2:00 P.M. Eastern Standard Time, for the purpose of:

1. Electing one (1) Supervisor for a term of three (3) years.
2. Reviewing annual reports and taking such action with respect thereto as the landowners may determine.
3. Transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Board of Supervisors  
Ritta Drainage District  
By: R.A. Miller  
President  
Publish March 25th & April 1st, 1983  
Legal 83-20

### NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF LANDOWNERS OF EAST SHORE WATER DRAINAGE DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to call of the Board of Supervisors of the East Shore Water Control District, the Annual Meeting of Landowners of the East Shore Water Control District, for the year 1983, will be held in the office of the District, 1000 S.W. 1st Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, April 12th, 1983, at 2:00 A.M. for the purpose of:

1. Electing one (1) Supervisor for a term of three (3) years.
2. Reviewing annual reports and taking such action with respect thereto as the landowners may determine.
3. Transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Board of Supervisors  
East Shore Water Control District  
By: Gary Cudgney  
President  
Publish March 25th & April 1st, 1983  
Legal 83-21

### NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF LANDOWNERS OF PELICAN LAKE WATER CONTROL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to call of the Board of Supervisors of the Pelican Lake Water Control District, the Annual Meeting of Landowners of the Pelican Lake Water Control District, for the year 1983, will be held in the office of the District, 1000 S.W. 1st Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, April 12th, 1983, at 2:00 A.M. for the purpose of:

1. Electing one (1) Supervisor for a term of three (3) years.
2. Reviewing annual reports and taking such action with respect thereto as the landowners may determine.
3. Transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Board of Supervisors  
Pelican Lake Water Control District  
By: Frank L. Pugh  
President  
Publish March 25th & April 1st, 1983  
Legal 83-22

Growing beards for a reason...



A scratchy subject...These two men grew beards to participate in "The Living Last Supper," a play which will be given at the Canal Point United Methodist Church, 100 Second Street, Canal Point on April 8. According to Pastor Jackie McMillian, the men, Dennis Wagner, left, and Robert Maxwell, right, grew the beards just for this performance. Dennis is an investigating officer for the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Department. Robert is a power engineer with U.S. Sugar at the Bryant Sugar Mill. The public is invited to attend the event at 7:30 p.m. on April 8.

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**Hostages escape...** Several children are seen escaping from an apparent hostage situation at Glades Day School during the Spring Fling held there Friday. The children were bagged up, ready for delivery when they somehow got loose. Alert SUN photographer Chip Newton spotted the children bounding across the lawn and photographed their escape. School officials, confronted with the photographic evidence, denied the children had been held captive. "It's a sack race, you idiot," said one official who declined to be identified. The school provided a list of names of alleged "sack race" participants: J.W. Orsenigo, Tobin Basore, Robert Basore, Kaley Schlechter, Alleigh Schlechter, Crista Scruggs, and Kelly Scruggs. Sack race. Right.

SUNPHOTO BY CHIP NEWTON

## Spring Fling: Lots and lots of Happy Winners

Big winners in Glades Day School's Spring Fling events are listed here:

**Peanut Drop Grand Prize Winner** - Ryan Whitlock, 6th grade, 864 peanuts.

**Pillow Case Decorating Contest Winners** - Israel Baez, Matthew Sanchez, Preston Baez, Larry Garrett, Rocky Sparks, Mallory Grimes, Andrew Schiari, Matt Alston, Matt Prescott, Justin Garrett, Kelly Scruggs, and Miranda Humphries.

**Golf Tournament** - 1st, Tim McKee, Jon Mock, Brian Carter, and Dennis Miller; 2nd, Mike Schlechter, Raymond Cunningham, Brandon Markham, and Betty Bradley.

3rd, Adrian Boots, Kevin Connell, and Rick Miller.

4th, Gil Brooker, Steve Weeks, Matt Weeks, and Trey Sizemore.

**Long Drive Contest Winner** - Sandy Hyneman.

**Tennis Tourney Winners:** Men's B, Phil Dulany and Sam Pedraza 1st; Marvin Thomas and J.D. Patrick 2nd.

Women's A, Mitchell Dobrow and Rachel Cranford, 1st; Jeanna Schlechter and Brenda Tyson 2nd.

Women's B, Margie Baker and Wanda Goggins 1st; Mary Douglas and Donna Kraft 2nd.

Women's C, Sarah Willis and Jaci Davis 1st; Hana Barhoush and Jessica Crawford 2nd.

Boys' Intermediate, Justin

Hamilton and Lane Crews 1st; Parker Altman and Zach Threlkeld 2nd.

Boys' Beginning, Kit Hamilton and Michael Lakatos 1st; Josh

## Spring Fling things...

Hudspeth Farms Incorporated was the big winner in the drawing for a pair of 1993 Sea Doo Watercraft.

Danny Miller, a 10th grade student at Glades Day, won the 22 Magnum Winchester Rifle.

The KISS THE PIG contest was won by Mrs. Karen McDermott, the elementary school principal, in the Elementary Division; by Ms. Debbie Lundy, Activities Director, in the High School Division; and by Mr. Barney Weeks of Seminole Supply, in the Community division.

During the pet show, Brenden Bruen's dog "Bud" won first place for "Best Show Dog" category. Thomas Meeks second place. Ryan Whitlock's cats Morris, Jumper and Wedo won first, second and third place, respectively under the Best Show Category. Most Unusual Pet, first place, Kristen Gilliam - second place Jennifer Bonnell.

Smallest Pet winners, first place Preston Baez, second, Michael Herring, third, Cristina Llorens. Prettiest Pet winners were Thomas Johnson, first, Christa and Stephanie Stein, second and Cindy Hood, third.

Davis 2nd.

Girls' Beginning, Alicia Schaper and Michelle Herring 1st, Tamam Barhoush and Hillary McMullen.



**First Place...** In the long thin pet category is "Gator(?)" here seen inspecting SUN photographer Chip Newton. (Are photographers edible if you spit out the camera and film?) Gator's seen here with his pal, Kristen Gilliam, 9.

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**Best in show...** In the "freckles" category is Jennifer Bonnell, a third grader. Say, isn't that a rat crawling out of the box? His name's Missy, says Jennifer. Missy was there for the pet show.

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## Gator Tales

"Don't let the rain come down on me..."

Glades Day fans were singing in the rain during the school's Spring Fling fund-raiser Friday, March 19, but, the weather didn't stop anyone from having a good time as they participated in the softball homerun derby, peanut and golf ball drops, basketball shoot, cake walk, and the many other activities GDS had to offer.

Actually, many WERE crooning tunes in the inclement weather as they sang in the seventh graders' Karaoke booth.

One event drawing a lot of interest once again was the KISS THE PIG contest, in which voters cast their ballots for their "favorite" person to kiss a wild pig.

Competition was fierce all the

way to the 8 p.m. deadline as students, teachers, and parents got into the spirit and campaigned heavily. Mrs. Karen McDermott emerged as the winner(?) in the elementary division while a last minute contribution put Ms. Debbie Lundy in the lead over Coach Craig Dobson in the high school.

The Community Category was won by Mr. Barney Weeks of Seminole Supply, who was also seen campaigning heavily during the week for Fette Kirchman. All three were good sports and planted a big smack on the porker.

Congratulations go to Ryan Whitlock, who won the Grand Prize in the Peanut Drop contest with 864 peanuts, and to the pillow case contest winners: Israel Bees, Matthew Sanchez, Andrew Schiari, Matt Alston, Preston Baez, Matt Prescott, Larry Garrett, Justin Garrett, Rocky Sparks, Kelly Scruggs, Mallory Grimes, and Miranda Humphries.

Trophies were also presented to first and second place teams in the doubles tennis tournament.

In the men's B division, Phil Dulany and Sam Pedraza defeated Marvin Thomas and J.D. Patrick for first place. Women's A - Mitchell Dobrow and Rachel Cranford topped Jeanna Schlechter and Brenda Tyson; Women's B - Margie Baker and Wanda Goggins beat

Mary Douglas and Donna Kratt; Women's C - Sarah Willis and Jaci Davis defeated Jessica Crawford and Hansa Barhoush; Boys' Intermediate - Justin Hamilton and Lane Crews ousted Zach Threlkeld and Parker Altman; Boys' Beginning - Kit Hamilton and Michael Lakatos won against Josh Davis and Danny Wallis; and Girls' Beginning - Alicia Schaper and Michelle Herring outlasted Tamara Barhoush and Hillary McMullen.

The evening's events came to a close with the drawings for a Winchester 22-Magnum rifle, won by GDS tenth grader Danny Miller, and the pair of 1993 Sea-Doo watercraft, won by Hudspeith Farms.

GDS would like to thank all faculty, parents, students, and friends who participated in the Spring Fling. Thanks to you, we beat the weather and made it a big success!

REMINDER: The Class of '93 will be presenting their senior play, "The Junior Prom" on April 2-3. Friday evening's presentation will be a dinner theatre.

Tickets are \$10 for a turkey dinner beginning at 6:30 p.m., followed by the 8 p.m. performance. Saturday's tickets are \$5 for the 8 p.m. show.

Tickets are available in the high school office (996-6769) or contact Mrs. Cathy Lee (996-4140) or any senior.

## More Spring Fling



It's kind of...hard to describe just exactly what's going on here, but it involves a lot of hollering and jumping around. This is Amanda Mills, 8, who more or less won the hollering phase of the event, which also involved eggs traveling back and forth across the lawn until they break, at which time the game is over.

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## Junior Prom at GDS

What happens when your daughter comes down with the measles the night of the Junior Prom and everyone in the house is quarantined?

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Find out the answer to these and other equally intriguing questions when Glades Day School's Class of '93 presents the play "Junior Prom" on April 2-3 in the school's Dora B. McWhorter Hall.

The three-act comedy is full of laughs and surprises as poor Mr. Haines has to deal with his daughter's measles and love schemes as well as mental patients who come knocking at the door.

Tickets are now on sale for the 6:30 p.m. dinner theatre on April 2 (\$10) and the 8 p.m. performance only on April 3 (\$5).

Contact the high school office at 996-6769, or Mrs. Lee at 996-4140, or ask any GDS senior. Seats are limited.



## Raider Log

BY BETH BUCHANAN

### Students of the Week

The following students were selected as Students of the Week for the eighth week of this third nine weeks: freshmen - Laura Rodriguez and Raul Gusman; sophomores - Karla Ramos and Agustin Lara; juniors - Beth Buchanan and Jean Vernet; and seniors - Sarah Bradley and Jude

### Exantus

**Superior Machine**  
The GCCHS Maroon Machine concert band captured all superior ratings at a recent district festival held in Jupiter. Directed by Mr. Willie Pyfrom, band members are rightly proud of their ratings and are preparing even more for state.

### Essay Winner

Aaron Posada has won a writing award for essay on "Quests" in the Palm Beach Teachers of English Council contest. Aaron will receive his award at a special presentation in May.

### Third Nine Weeks Ends

Friday, the 26th, marks the official end of the third grading period. That three-fourths of the 1992/93 school year is over seems somewhat impossible. Meanwhile, students and staff are looking forward to spring break in April.

Events coming up include the Florida Relays at Gainesville, softball on the 29th and 31st, and baseball today at Forest Hill and at Olympic Heights on the 30th. The tennis team also plays Choice at home Tuesday. All spring sports teams would appreciate your support.

### Freshmen Testing

Tuesday and Wednesday mornings all freshmen worked hard taking the CTBS4 (California Test of Basic Skills). The test battery covers reading comprehension, social studies, science reasoning skills, and math application and concepts.

The results are used to determine individual and class strengths and weaknesses. Scores are divided into four quartiles and are also for class placement and course selections.

The sophomore class will be undergoing similar testing in April, when the GTAT will be given.



Croaky...Jennifer Kelley, Stacy Alston, and Emily Watson practice the new sensation Croaky, a Japanese sing-along fad. It's actually spelled Karaoke, but in this particular case, "Croaky" seems much more appropriate. Just kidding girls. Really! Owl! Okay. I'm sorry. Owl! Stop! Owl!

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## Dorothy Willford honored

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She also received awards for services rendered to the Egyptian Fashion Show, Voters Registration, and the Cornerstone Award.

Western Palm Beach County was represented by Clarence Anthony, Mayor of South Bay, and Annie Pearl Hill as a judge for the Egyptian Fashion Show. The Chamber of Commerce provided materials for the kits.



Dorothy G. Willford

There were 500 Nobles of the Mystie Shrine and Daughters of Isis in attendance.

Raider Wrestling Coach Frank Lasagna needs some money. Charles Charleston, who wrestled at the 140-lb. class for the Raiders, has qualified for the National High School Wrestling Tournament to be held in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, but needs funds for transportation to and from the meet which will start Friday, April 2 and end Sunday, April 4.

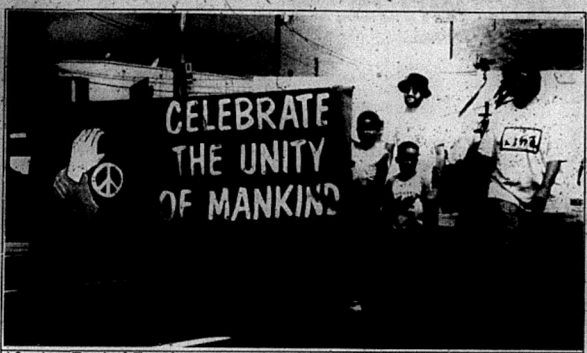
Send donations to the school in care of the wrestling team, or call coach Lasagna at 996-4947 or at home (813) 983-5457.



Makeva Harold... 9, was one of many marchers in Saturday's Afro Arts Festival Parade in Belle Glade.

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## Afro Arts Festival and Parade a success



Afro Arts Festival Parade... Saturday in Belle Glade was enjoyed by all. Above, marchers from Bahai Faith carry their banner down Main Street.

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Christian Day School elementary students returned to school on Monday after a restful spring break ready to be involved in a variety of activities.

Mrs. Davies' K-4 class is

having a new experience with music as they begin their K-4 band. The instruments included in this venture are cymbals, tambourines and drums, they will share their talents with the other elementary students later in the spring.

Daycare and K-4 welcome visitor Mrs. Diskerhoof, a Washington Certified National Representative of Child Development, who came to observe these classes.

Several elementary classes are attending field trips. Second and third grades attended the play "Charlottes Web" at Palm Beach auditorium on Thursday.

K-5, and first grade are planning to attend Lion Coun-

try Safari on Friday, April 2nd. To be named the Student of the Week in first grade, the student must complete his work, follow class rules and have excellent behavior.

This week's award goes to Julie Vergel.

Other students also received awards for sales in the candy sales contest:

K-4: 3rd grade Joseph Braddock \$50 prize

4th-6th grade division Joshua Braddock 1st place \$50 prize

Kevin Lester 2nd \$35 prize

Janie Williams 3rd place \$25 prize

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Ladies...members of Glades Day School's junior varsity softball team include (most of) the ladies seen here. They are, back row, left to right, Melissa Tucker, Tamam (or Miriam) Barhoush, Lesley Carter, and Yvonne Brady; front row, left to right, Shannon Dobrow, Hillary McMullen, and Miranda Humphries. These are some of the best!

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## Pahokee High teachers honored

They're doing something right at Pahokee Middle Senior High School: Two teachers at the school have attained significant honors.

Rich McCombs, a seventh grade science teacher, has been named a finalist for the William Dwyer Award, and Esther Boyd, Cities in Schools Dropout Prevention teacher, was selected Palm Beach County's Ida S. Baker Distinguished Minority Educator for 1993.

Mr. McCombs was nominated once before for the Dwyer award, but this is his first time as a finalist.

Pahokee principal Eugenia Jones said McCombs is "a really nice guy, and he was nominated by his peers. That's

a lot more significant than being nominated by a principal."

Mr. McCombs, who teaches science to seventh graders, gives a lot of extra time to students trying to improve in academic areas, said Mrs. Jones.

He's also coordinator of the seventh grade team and oversees a parent conference. "He's both a disciplinarian and a guidance counselor," said the principal.

He's also the driving force behind the school's science fair.

"Each year we get a higher quality of science projects in the science fair," said Mrs. Jones.

And this year, one of his students, Lavada Burroughs, won first place in Junior Behavioral and Social Sciences for her project.

Because of Mr. McCombs, says Mrs. Jones, students are becoming more interested in science.

Mr. McCombs is also a finalist for Palm Beach County Teacher of the Year for 1993.

Ms. Boyd is responsible for the successful organization of a Cities in Schools program that is observed and modeled throughout the state, says Principal Jones.

Parents, students, and teachers all have requested to be placed in Ms. Boyd's classes.

Mrs. Jones says Pahokee High has a dropout rate of only 2.59 percent, and "Esther Boyd and her staff are the primary reason."

Very community minded, Ms. Boyd is an active church member, a former member of the board of the Pahokee Housing Authority, and an organizer of scholarship fund-raisers and is active in voter registration.

At the school, she's the assistant athletic director, the former cheerleader sponsor, former senior class sponsor, Project Graduation/Gradnate sponsor, and has been a Teacher as Advisor and Athletic Council secretary.



Esther Boyd



March, April...April Jones, that is, and she's not marching, she's running - about to jump and clear the high jump bar at last week's track meet at Glades Central Community High School. April didn't win with her jump of 4'0".

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Dear Glades People:

On behalf of the Glades Central Girls Basketball Team and coaching staff, I would like to thank everyone in the community who made a contribution to the State Championship Ring Fund.

The Team and Staff felt that they won this title not only for Glades Central Community High School, but also for the town of Belle Glade and the Glades area.

Your donations confirmed that belief.

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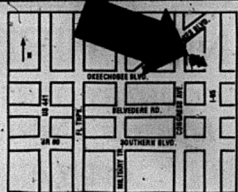
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